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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Khalil et al

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Examiner: Wong, Blanche

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 14, 2007

In response to the First Office Action mailed June 14, 2007, the Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in light of the following Response.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

1. Claims 8-15 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101 as allegedly directed toward non-statutory subject matter.
2. Claims 8-15 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as allegedly anticipated by U.S. Publication 2004/0047322 of O'Neil (hereafter "O'Neil").
2. Claims 1-7 and 11-20 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as allegedly unpatentable over O'Neil in view of U.S. Publication 2005/0177722 of Vaarala et al (hereafter "Vaarala").